TRANSMITTAL OF INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT Docket No. 11345.006002 (Under 37 CFR 1.97(b) or 1.97(c)) In Re Application Of: Michel MAILLARD Group Art Unit Filing Date Examiner Serial No. August 13, 2001 Title: METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR RECORDING OF ENCRYPTED DIGITAL DATA Address to: **Assistant Commissioner for Patents** Washington, D.C. 20231 37 CFR 1.97(b) The Information Disclosure Statement submitted herewith is being filed within three months of the filing 1. X of a national application; within three months of the date of entry of the national stage as set forth in 37 CFR 1.491 in an international application; or before the mailing date of a first Office Action on the merits, whichever event occurs last. 37 CFR 1.97(c) The Information Disclosure Statement submitted herewith is being filed after three months of the filing 2. of a national application, or the date of entry of the national stage as set forth in 37 CFR 1.491 in an international application; or after the mailing date of a first Office Action on the merits, whichever occurred last but before the mailing date of either: a Final Action under 37 CFR 1.113, or 1. a Notice of Allowance under 37 CFR 1.311, 2. whichever occurs first. Also submitted herewith is: a certification as specified in 37 CFR 1.97(e);

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